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Strandgade 30.
Copenhagen.
Denmark
14-11-28.

American Numismatic Society.
156 Fifth Ave. Broadway New York.

Dear Sir.

Herewith I allow me to send some illustrations of the antique greek coin (silver-stater) of Paeonia (Bristrinna)

date Com- about B. C. 450:

P O Tripoli – TAN – DO.

Bulle in incuse square.

AR Stater, 8,4 gram.

The coin is of the greatest rarity as it is only known in 3 exemplars and it is in splendid conservation.

As you know a stamp of great rarity has a value of 50-60,000 dollars.

From England 8000 english pounds are offered, but the

price of the coin is
50,000 dollars.

I think, that members
of the society should be
interested, but on a contrary
supposition, please, do me
the favour to tell me
the adress of official collec-
tions and private collectors of
antique greek coins, which
you think are interested.

Yours very truly
J. Wrepka Bloch.

Adverse

reverse

Block

Antique Greek coin (Silver Stater) of Pandosia (Brittium), date from about B. C. 450:

ΦΡΟ tripod — ΓΑΛ — ΔΟ.

Bull in incuse square

AR Stater, 8,4 gram.

unique, only known in 3 examplars!

Splendid conservation.

10th December, 1928

Dr. H. Trepka Bloch,
Strandgade 30,
Copenhagen, Denmark

Dear Sir:

Your letter with its enclosures is at hand. I regret to advise that we are not interested in the coin of which you enclose illustrations, and that, because of the lettering as well as the style, we are very suspicious of its genuineness. I am returning a number of your enclosures.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

7th January, 1929

Dr. Hans Blösch,
Stadtbibliothek,
Bern, Switzerland

Dear Sir:

May I appeal to you in connection with one of the needs of our Library? We desire to secure a copy of Haller's "Schweiz. Münz- u. Medaillenkabinet", Bern, 1880, and would very much appreciate it if you could refer us to some bookseller of your city who might be able to supply it. If there is a copy available, we should be very glad to have it sent us together with a bill for it. Hiersemann quotes a copy with eight instead of twelve plates for 24 Marks; this, of course, is an imperfect copy. We desire a complete one.

I am addressing this request to you because of the note on the cover of the 1928 issue of the "Revue Suisse", and I should like to avail myself of the opportunity to congratulate you on this interesting number.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

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New-York.

Dear Sir.

Herewith I allow me to send you an other and better illustration of the antique greek coin (Silver-Stater) of Pandosia

(Brittium) date from about
B.C. 450:

Q P O Tripod - TAV - AO
Bill in silver 5 grain
AR Stater, 8.4 grain

As previously mentioned the
coin is of the greatest rarity
as it is only known in 3
exemplars. The conservation is
splendid and finishing the
genuineness there is no doubt
permitted.

After a second consideration
I think, that a price of
10,000 Dollars not is too

high and I would appreciate
to receive an offer from
an interested member of your
society.

Yours very truly
Marcella Block

Avers — Revers.

Coin of Randosia.
c. B. C. 450.